

Agency: Howell County Sheriff's Dept.

Population: 28,747

age 16 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	630	616	6	8			
Searches	87	86	0	1			
Arrests	34	34	0	0			
Statewide population %	N/A	85.24	10.25	1.85	1.17	0.41	1.08
Local population %	N/A	96.21	0.24	0.98			
Disparity index	N/A	1.02	3.97	1.29			
Search rate	13.81	13.96	0.00	12.50			
Contraband hit rate	18.39	18.60	#Error	0.00			
Arrest rate	5.40	5.52	0.00	0.00			

Notes: Population figures are from the 2000 Census for persons 16 years of age and older who designated a single race. Hispanics may be of any race. Other includes persons of mixed race and unknown race.

Disparity index = (proportion of stops / proportion of population). A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation, values less than 1 indicate under-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

Contraband hit rate = (searches with contraband found / total searches) X 100.

Arrest rate = (arrests / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

TRAFFIC STOP STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Violation leading to stop	Moving	355	345	4	6			
	Equipment	218	213	2	2			
	License	105	104	1	0			
Stop outcome	Citation	54	53	0	1			
	Warning	464	454	4	6			
	No action	112	109	2	1			
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	1	1	0	0			
	US hwy	405	394	4	8			
	State hwy	89	88	1	0			
	County road	66	65	0	0			
	City street	63	62	1	0			
	Other	6	6	0	0			
Driver gender	Male	438	427	5	7			
	Female	192	189	1	1			
Driver age	17 and under	38	35	1	0			
	18-29	290	285	0	5			
	30-39	131	129	2	0			
	40 and over	171	167	3	3			

SEARCH STATS		Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	63	62	0	1			
	Inventory	0	0	0	0			
	Drug/alcohol odor	6	7	0	0			
	Incident to arrest	23	23	0	0			
	Plain view contraband	5	5	0	0			
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	3	3	0	0			
	Drug-dog alert	0	0	0	0			
	Other	1	0	0	0			
What searched	Driver	6	6	0	0			
	Car/property	13	9	0	1			
	Driver & Property	68	71	0	0			
Search duration	0-15 minutes	80	80	0	0			
	16-30 minutes	5	4	0	1			
	31+ minutes	2	2	0	0			
Contra-band found	Drugs/alcohol	14	14	0	0			
	Currency	0	0	0	0			
	Weapon	3	3	0	0			
	Stolen property	0	0	0	0			
	Other	0	0	0	0			
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	10	10	0	0			
	Drug violation	5	5	0	0			
	Resist arrest	0	0	0	0			
	Offense against person	0	0	0	0			
	Traffic Violation	9	9	0	0			
	DWI/BAC	14	14	0	0			
	Property offense	0	0	0	0			
	Other	1	0	0	0			

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